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Chips

For once the writer of this department is going to lay off his usual none-too-successful attempts to be funny, and to try to translate into words his sentiments in regard to old George Washington, and perhaps to give a clue to its charm. For he has been reading the article by Lella Warren in the current *College Humor*.

This writer first came to school in the days of which Lella Warren speaks. In fact, he is still here because he does not know how to leave. In imminent danger of becoming a "professional collegian," he still lingers on. And he remembers the times and things mentioned in the article, the days when Dean Wilbur's class was held in the basement of the church, the old "Rabbit Hole," Winnie DeVoe, and all the rest.

Dear Lella Warren, you complain that the good old days are going, that we are becoming standardized and machine-made, that the old freedom is passing. Perhaps you are right. But so long as the motorman clangs his bell on G Street, and the old iron fence is lined with loafers like Dick Rollo, so long as students gather here from north, south, east, and west alike, none with so very much money, none with so very much energy, so long as the spring rains drive us into Quigley's or The Hatchet Office, and so long as the warm spring sunshine stretches us lazily on benches to dream away three hours while we should be attending classes, so long will this indefinite charm persist.

We come down here, none too pleased with the concrete campus, and we stay, and we are glad that we stay. Those of us who have been to "rah-rah" colleges find here a contentment and quiet, an academic retreat, a lazy southern charm, professors who have cleverness and gentility, and students who have forgotten to be "high-hat."

Here you are what you are. High social lights have been known to drive taxis or elevators, and even to work for $1,440 a year in the government. Your main rule of life is, you must not be dull. You need not have money. The coonskin coat has seldom invaded our precincts.

No, Lella Warren, that old charm has not gone. Perhaps you are just a little out of touch. Come down here on Monday nights, and you will still find the same knot of men waiting for sorority meeting to let out: come into The Hatchet Office; and here are the same politicians, pseudo-intelligentzia, and bridge players, not so charming to you, because you do not know them so well—but still they are here.

Corcoran Hall, Stockton Hall, and the gymnasium have made no inroads into the social life. You will find them shunned for the old iron fence and Quigley's. The distinctions between those who matter and those who do not are just as rigidly defined, and you will find that they depend still, not on money, family, and the usual hooey, but on the things which matter: Personal charm, ability to interest, worthwhileness.

After all, the people who matter are seldom those who have things thrust toward them on a silver platter. These latter can not understand George Washington, and usually leave. The typical George Washington student is one of good family—good enough—whose parents just fail to have enough money in order that he may be spoiled; or the spirited student who wants independence from family and the restrictions of campus schools—and pays for them; or the student who, having toyed away four years at a great state university, comes down to learn a little.

We can have nothing worthwhile from life without work; we can have nothing worthwhile from life without first learning to live. These are the first two commandments of the present day—the present day which a few misguided souls like to call standardized. Your George Washington student knows the meaning of work, and he is learning the meaning of living. You can not live well if you stray far from the golden mean. The proper scale on the ladder is a little bit above comfort and a little below luxury. That is the way we live at George Washington.

This writer is not thinking so much of the professional and technical schools now; he is thinking of Columbian College. What goes on in the other departments is a mysterious, forbidden limbo. He has known, and known with a good deal of pleasure, the value of contact with such fine gentlemen as Wilbur, Hill, Ruediger, Bolwell, and Kayser. If he should starve along all his life on a paltry $1,440 per annum, these recollections would serve to make him feel that his years here were not entirely wasted.

No, my dear friend, I think you are a little wrong if you feel we are going to the dogs.

DICK ROLLO.

YEAR BOOK OPENS HEAVY CAMPAIGN FOR SUBSCRIBERS

Name Stamped Free On All Cherry Trees Paid For Now

CATHERINE GROSECLOSE IN CHARGE OF SOLICITORS

Proofs of Photos Taken in January To Be Returned This Week

Subscriptions to the 1928 Cherry Tree may now be made through any members of its business staff or by seeing Catherine Groseclose, who is in charge of subscriptions for the year book.

Sorority girls have been supplied with the blanks, and each subscriber should be sure that he signs a numbered blank, and also, he should be sure to get a receipt.

The price of the Cherry Tree, the University annual, is four dollars, and if the amount is paid in full in one payment, the subscriber's name will be stamped in gold on the front of the book. It is possible, however, to pay two dollars now, and the other two upon receiving the Cherry Tree. If there are any students interested in selling the annuals, they are reminded that upon selling twenty-five Cherry Trees they will receive their annuals free.

Proofs Available Soon

Proofs of the pictures taken in January will be in the Cherry Tree photographer's office, 2022 G Street, some time this week. Students are requested to secure the proofs, and return them as soon as possible. Arrangements may be made to secure pictures from the proofs at the White Studio.

The Kodak contest announced several weeks ago has not yet ended, and if there are still any students who have some snapshots of G. W. people or campus scenes, the Photographic Manager, Warren Briggs, at 2026 G Street N. W., will be glad to accept them and use them in the book. For the best set of six snapshots submitted by one student, a Chery Tree will be given free.

Staff members have been notified that all copy is due at the regular Cherry Tree Staff meeting this Friday evening, February 10, at 7.30 in the basement of Stockton Hall. Staff meetings are held each Friday night at this time in the Cherry Tree Office, and it is important that every member be present.

Create New Section

A new section has been created in this 1928 Year Book, and will be given over to the Medical School. There will be found feature articles, snaps, pictures and jokes from the Medical Department of the University. In charge of this new section is Robert Bolton as editor, with David Gorlin as the Senior editor. Contributions from the Medical Students should be given to one of these staff members.

The Business manager, Allen Neil, will give any desired information regarding advertisements, and will let the terms be known to any students who are interested in securing advertisements for the Cherry Tree.

Seniors and graduate students of the University are urged to return the blanks mailed to them as soon as it is possible. This data is essential to the Year Book. Information should be mailed to Mrs. Lewis Rhodes, Editor of the Classes, at 3100 Connecticut Avenue.

COLUMBIAN DEBATERS ELECT NEW OFFICERS

Abolition of Capital Punishment Subject of First Debate of the Season

Columbian Debating Society inaugurated its activities for the spring semester Friday night by electing a slate of officers and deciding in favor of the abolition of capital punishment.

The officers elected were: E. C. Gallagher, president; Captain W. S. Rumbaugh, vice-president; Charles Laughlin, secretary; William Williamson, treasurer; K. F. Frisbie, critic; Louise Feinstein, council representative. Each of the officers elected except Mr. Frisbie, Captain Rumbaugh and Miss Feinstein held office during the past semester.

Messrs. Frisbie and Sanders upheld the motion, "Resolved, That this house believes capital punishment should be abolished." Messrs. Rumbaugh and Lyons dissented. The motion was carried.

Gwynn Sanders and Earl Crowder were elected to membership in the Society.

It was decided that the Interior Department Debating Club would be debated on February 17, before Columbian, on a question yet to be determined. William Williamson and Captain W. S. Rumbaugh will represent Columbian.

NOTICE

New students registered for second semester will get their paper this week at the Hatchet Office.

Swami, G. W. Chapel Speaker, Is Asked To Leave Miami, Florida

Fame is but a fleeting fantasy.

Take, for instance, the case of Swami Yogananda, the East Indian philosopher. Barely a year ago, just before the mid-year examinations, the Swami, wearing long, dark hair, and an even longer robe of brilliant hue (there's still an argument as to whether it was yellow or red) appeared before an enthusiastic audience which jammed its way into Corcoran Hall 1.

There, amid the admiring gasps of the women, and the less admiring snorts of the men, the Swami told of his preparations (guaranteed) for examinations. He related his own success in passing quizes by merely strolling along moonlit banks gazing into the spacious firmament above, and leaving books severely alone. Storms of applause greeted his recommendation, and his audience stampeded off to 11:45 classes.

And now word comes that Swami Yokananda has been invited to leave Miami, Florida, by the chief of police of that city. The chief charges that the Swami has been teaching some 200 Miami women the mysteries of his cult, at the cost of $35 each. Truly—

Fame is but a fleeting fantasy.

WILLARD PICKED FOR FRAT DANCE

Social Committee of Interfraternity Council Announces Plans For Prom Mar. 30

SLAUGHTER WILL PLAY

Stag Line to be Feature of Evening; "Interesting and Practical" Favors Promised

Arrangements for the annual Interfraternity Prom to be held on March 30, at the Willard Hotel, have been practically completed, according to the latest announcement given out by the social committee of the Interfraternity Council.

The largest social event of the George Washington fraternities, while still somewhat distant is nevertheless, uppermost in the minds of the Greeks, who are looking forward to what, according to the committee, "should prove to be one of the most successful Proms ever to be held."

To be Held at Willard

The Willard Hotel ballroom has been engaged for the evening of March 30, between the hours of nine and one, the closing hour being made in keeping with the University ruling to that effect. John Slaughter's Orchestra has been booked to provide the timely tunes, and promises to uphold its enviable reputation gained at the Carlton, Mayflower, Powhatan Roof and throughout the southern universities where Slaughter has led his eleven.

The novel feature of the Prom will be the stag line which will be very much in evidence during the latter half of the evening. It is expected that a limited number of stag tickets will be sold to members of the various fraternities, and that the last two hours of the dance will be given over to "cutting."

The favors for the girls will not be announced before the Big Hop, but according to those who know will be interesting, and practical. The committee in charge of the Prom is composed of Don Iglehart, chairman, Sherman Johnson, Frank Smith and Verne MacDonald.

Famous Writer Was Honorary Alumnus

Late Blasco Ibanez Received Honorary Degree of Doctor of Letters from G. W.

Vicente Blasco Ibanez, famous Spanish novelist, died on January 28, in voluntary exile, at Mentone, France.

Sr. Ibanez received the honorary degree of Doctor of Letters from George Washington University in 1919.

About two years ago, at the instance of Dean Henry Grattan Doyle, who was his interpreter during his visit to the University, the novelist gave to the University Library a complete autographed set of his works. This gift began the assembling of the Spanish Alcove in the Library, to which the Argentine government has since added about 500 volumes.

An autographed portrait of Ibanez hangs in Corcoran Hall 17.

JUNE GRADUATES

If you did not state on your registration blank that you intend to graduate in June, come in to the Recorder's Office at once to fill out the proper blank. Seniors will be notified of necessary changes in program by today. If notices are not received by that date, adjustment should be made in the Office.

DEBATERS MEET NEW YORK UNIV. ON FEBRUARY 10

U. S. Protection of Private Investments In Foreign Countries To Be Argued

RULES OF COLUMBIAN DEBATERS TO BE USED

Visitors Will Be Honor Guests at Law School Mixer Following Debate

An unusual plan of holding debate will mark the opening of the 1928 Varsity season when a team from George Washington University will meet the New York University team in Room 1, Stockton Hall, at 8 o'clock on the night of February 10. The question is, Resolved: "That this house believes the United States private investments in foreign countries should not be protected by force of arms by the United States Government."

The debate will be held under the unique rules of Columbian Debating Society as its Friday program, but it will be open to the public as formerly. Three of the unusual features of these rules are: (1) A speaker may be interrupted a limited number of times in the course of his constructive argument to hear a question by a member of the house. He may answer or ignore the question as he chooses. (2) Following the debate the house is thrown open to the floor for three minute speeches on the question. (3) Following the open forum, a vote of the house is taken, the question being put in this general form, Resolved: "That this house believes, etc."

Audience May Question

Each person in the audience will be privileged to participate in the questioning and the open forum on an equality with members of Columbian.

The three George Washington debaters, Gwynn Saunders, Charles Laughlin, and R. L. Parsons, are all members of the Columbian debating society, and all familiar with the type of debate being developed in that organization. They have shown themselves exceedingly adept at clever, witty and logical handling of pointed questions and salient issues.

Following the debate the visiting debators will be guests of honor at the Law School Mixer in Corcoran Hall. Much interest has been manifested in the approaching event by the student body. No admission for the debate will be charged.

"2 x 2 = 5" IS SCHEDULED FOR WEEK OF APRIL 23

Dramatic Association Definitely Starts on Production Work; Tryouts to be Held Soon

Tentative dates for the presentation of the varsity play, "2 x 2 = 5," have been set as April 23 to 28, by the Board of Directors of the Dramatic Association.

At a meeting of the Board last Wednesday night, plans were definitely started on the production work, and tryouts for cast and production staff will be announced within a short time. Those present at the meeting were Marion Campbell, Ed Moulton, Pern Henninger, Max Tendler, Steve Blackman, George Spangler, Kenneth Yearns, Nana Sullivan, Kermit Girdner, and Elmer Brown of the Troubadours.

From Danish

"2 x 2 = 5" is from the Danish of Gustav Weid and its only other production in this country has been made this season by the Civic Repertory Company in New York City, with Eva Le Gallience.

The script offers opportunities for the actor, and the settings and costumes will be outstanding features of the play. Watch The Hatchet for early tryouts.

INTERFRAT COUNCIL TO GIVE DANCE ON FEB. 22

George Washington's birthday will be celebrated by the Interfraternity Council on the evening of February 22, in the form of a dance with President Cloyd Heck Marvin, members of the faculty, and the students of the University as the guests of the occasion.

This dance is to be held in Corcoran Hall, and the hours will be from 10 until 1 o'clock. A popular orchestra has been engaged for the event.

LAW ESSAY CONTEST

Kappa Beta Pi legal sorority is offering a prize of $50.00 to the woman Law student writing the best paper on "The Encroachment of the Federal Government on States' Rights." The essay must be typewritten, not more than 1,000 words in length, and must be submitted before March 1st to Mrs. Dorothy Donoghue Martin, 1002 Locust Street, Atlantic, Iowa. It is hoped that all women law students will compete, even if they have not studied Constitutional Law.

AUTHORESS



Lella Warren, who writes of G. W. in the March issue of "College Humor," is the author of a novel and numerous short stories.

JUNIOR PROM TO BE HELD MAR. 2

Wardman Park Hotel Will Be The Scene of Annual Hop

ADMISSION WILL BE $5.00

Johnnie Slaughter's Orchestra to Furnish Music; Favors Not Decided on as Yet

The Junior Prom of George Washington University will be held on Friday evening, March 2, 1928, at the Wardman Park Hotel, according to announcement by Chas. E. Baldwin, Chairman of the Junior Prom Committee.

It has been necessary to change the date from February 17th, as formerly announced, to March 2nd, on account of social engagements arranged for the latter part of February by other University organizations.

The hours of the Prom will be 9 p. m. to 1 a. m. instead of 10 p. m. to 2 p. m. This change is made so as to come within the University ruling that all social functions close at 1 a. m.

Johnnie Slaughter to Play

Burrus Williams, Chairman of the Music Committee, has secured John Slaughter's Orchestra.

The favors have not been decided upon as yet, but it is understood they will surpass those of any other Junior Prom.

Admission to the Prom for Juniors and all other students of the University will be $5.00.

Committees cooperating with Mr. Baldwin in arranging for the dance are Burrus Williams, Music, Norman Benzing, Floor Committee, and Margaret Reese, Favors.

Mrs. Knappen Speaks To Columbian Women

Miss Anna P. Cooper Assists in Receiving Guests at Tea Preceding Meeting

Mrs. T. M. Knappen gave a talk on "The Arts and Crafts of Japan" at the Columbian Women meeting held yesterday afternoon in Corcoran Hall. Mrs. Knappen, who is an authority on the subject, illustrated her talk with her collection of Japanese objects of art.

Preceding the meeting there was a social hour. The guests were received by Mrs. H. W. Wiley, President of the Columbian Women. Miss Anna P. Cooper, Associate Professor of English in the University, also was in the receiving line. Miss Elizabeth Peet, former President of Columbian Women, presided at the tea table.

CERCLE GALLIA MEETS

The next meeting of the Cercle Gallia will be held Friday evening, January 27, at 8:15, in the Phi Mu rooms at 2026 G Street N. W.

COLONIAL WIG TO APPEAR

The first issue of the Colonial Wig, G. W's literary magazine, will appear on the campus February 20. Material of exceptional worth has been gathered from contributors in the University. Copies may be obtained, for 25 cents, from any member of the staff or at Mr. Bement's office.

MENORAH TO MEET

The Menorah Society meets tonight at 7:30, in C. H. 1. An open discussion on the nature of the Jew. Anyone interested will be welcome.

HATCHET STAFF MEETS

A very important meeting of The Hatchet staff will be held on Wednesday, February 15, in Corcoran Hall, Room 17, at 8 p. m. All members of the staff must attend. Those who are not present, and not excused, will be dropped from the masthead and will receive no further assignments.

BENEFIT BALL TO BE GIVEN FEB. 21 TO AID HOSPITAL

Is "Garden Party In Honor of General and Mrs. Washington"

FIRST LADY OF LAND HEADS PATRONESSES

Board of Lady Managers Plans Interesting Historic Pageant As Feature of Entertainment

Mrs. Calvin Coolidge has accepted the invitation of the Board of Lady Managers to head the list of patronesses for the annual entertainment given for the benefit of the George Washington University Hospital. The event is known this year as "A Garden Party on the Potomac in Honor of General and Mrs. Washington," and will take the form of a costume ball to be held at the Mayflower on the evening of February 21.

Mrs. Gilbert Grosvenor and Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman are co-chairmen for the ball.

One of the features of the evening will be an historical pageant, especially written for the occasion by Mrs. Walter R. Tuckerman and presented under her personal direction. The Men's Glee Club is to have a prominent part in the pageant.

Student Committee

A souvenir program for the ball is under preparation by the members of Gamma Eta Zeta, professional journalistic sorority of the University. There will be a student floor committee of prominent G. W. students. This committee will be announced next week. Probably the most attractive feature to the student body is the special student ticket, which will sell for $3.00 instead of $5.00, which is the regular charge. This price will include supper. These tickets will be placed on sale at the Treasurer's office in the next few days. The music for the evening will be furnished by Sidney's Mayflower music, the orchestra being under the direction of Johnny Slaughter.

The Board of Lady Managers has given a vote of thanks to the Junior Prom Committee for postponing the prom, so as not to interfere with the hospital ball.

This is the fourth annual entertainment which has been presented by the Board of Lady Managers for the benefit of the hospital, centered around an incident in the life of George Washington. Not only have the entertainments been successful financially, but each has been an artistic triumph.

Three years ago the benefit took the form of a Colonial Ball given in the Gymnasium, which was transformed, under the direction of Professor Crandall and his students in architecture, into the garden at Mount Vernon.

The following year the event was known as "An Evening of Music at Mount Vernon," when Carmela Ponselle, Metropolitan Opera star, gave a program of eighteenth century music. Last year Donald MacDonald, famous Scotch tenor, was the visiting artist upon the occasion of "A Birthday Party at Mount Vernon in Honor of General Washington, given by his Scotch Friends at Alexandria and Dumfries."

The entertainments hold an important place on the social calendar of Washington.

LAW SCHOOL TO HAVE MIXER ON FEBRUARY 10

Dance To Be Given in Corcoran Hall; Tickets Now on Sale at One Dollar Each

The Law School mixer will be held Friday, February 10, in Corcoran Hall, under the joint direction of a Faculty Committee on Student Relations and a committee of students. The mixer will be substituted for the annual banquet of the Law School which has heretofore been held each spring.

President Cloyd Heck Marvin of the University, and Mrs. Marvin have been invited to attend the occasion as guests of honor. A receiving line of the members of the Faculty will be formed at nine o'clock to receive the guests of the evening. All students and alumni of the Law School are cordially invited to attend.

Music for the dance will be supplied by Elmer Brown's Orchestra. An admission charge of one dollar per couple will be asked to cover the expenses incident to the occasion.

Tickets have been placed in the hands of the following persons and may be obtained on application to them or to the Secretary of the Law School: Henry T. Kilburn, Joseph Bailey, I. M. Stewart, Ruth Morehead, Willard Hansen, Ruth Tech, J. Howard Vessey, Marion Campbell, Ruth Seitzick, Fanny Neyman, and C. J. Nelson. Members on the joint Committee on Arrangements are: Faculty, Professors E. C. Arnold and C. S. Collier, and Miss Helen Newman; Students, W. M. Hansen, H. T. Kilburn, J. P. Bailey and I. M. Stewart.

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WE GET OUR GRADES

Semester upon semester, stretching back far beyond the knowledge of even the most ancient of students, the semi-yearly grades were always late.

The examinations passed, and days dragged into weeks—sometimes March 15 rolled around before the fateful chart from the registrar's office appeared. And sometimes even flunk marks were delayed until then. Whether the long waits were caused by an inadequate clerical force, whether examinations were not corrected promptly, or whether the instructors were lax in recording the results—whatever the reason, all is past now.

Fatal yellow slips were sent out with disconcerting precision. And complete grades for all students were in their posession long before the end of last week. Sending out five thousand sets of grades is no small task. The Recorder's Office is due congratulations for its rapid and accurate work.

ALPINE DANGERS

Early morning pilgrims to Corcoran Hall a few days ago discovered upon floundering through the last snowdrift barring their way to higher learning, that a freshly-printed sign, "Danger: Look out for snow falling from the eaves," stared them in the face.

We agree with the student comment penciled below: "Why not push it down?" Are we down-trodden takers of examinations to be subjected to the additional perils of an avalanche? Aren't there enough porters to remove the snow which may fall in the coming days, and again endanger our safety?

CROSS-COUNTRY

George Washington University is sending its star track men to the University of Richmond and University of Virginia for indoor meets. This suggests, naturally, retrospection over the track achievements of the past year. They have been commendable and noteworthy—but there is one blank place on the program—there was no cross-country season the past fall.

Cross-country saw two successful seasons at George Washington, in 1925 and 1926. It was a sport which entailed very small financial layout, nevertheless it gained much favorable comment for the University and held the attention of students. Hurd Willett, Walton Shipley and Horace Domigan really contributed to the sum total of George Washington's fame.

Surely there is cross-country material in this University, and it should not be difficult to bring it out and whip it into shape. All that is needed is a little money and a little interest.

The Hatchet suggests to the Faculty Athletic Committee that cross-country meets, run in connection with major home football games next fall, would be a valuable addition to our sport curriculum.

THE AWARD TO DR. BARTSCH

In awarding the Walter Rathbone Bacon research fellowship to Dr. Paul Bartsch, professor of zoology in the University, the Smithsonian Institution again has conferred a signal honor upon a member of this institution. This is the second time this fellowship has been held by a member of the faculty of George Washington, Dr. Waldo Schmitt, formerly of the University, having received it for the years 1925-1927.

The University may well express its gratitude over the award of such an opportunity for research study to one of its faculty.



WITH exams entirely off the student mind, and nothing apparently having taken their place, a spirit of light-headedness has prevailed at school. The arduous task of having a good time has been attacked seriously in an attempt to forget any stray bits of knowledge that may have penetrated during the week of intensive cramming before exams. Washington's first heavy snowfall for some years provided an opportunity for something different in the way of diversion, and coasting became the order of the day. During an evening's coasting many of G. W's dignified students could be seen in most undignified heaps in snowdrifts at the foot of various hills.

Sigma Tau announces the formal initiation of Martin Deutermann, Louis H. Phelps, and Rex Mulligan on January 13th, 1928, at the T. U. O. house.

Miss Katherine Devine, of New York City, was the guest of Iris Woodhouse last week-end.

Phi Alpha will open its festivities for the new semester with a smoker on Saturday night and an informal house dance at the Chapter house on Monday night.

The Alumni Chapter of Alpha Delta Pi sponsored an attractive benefit card party at the Thomas Circle on Tuesday, February 7, which was well patronized by the student body. The proceeds were used toward the endowment of the sorority's day nursery.

Alpha Delta Pi was well represented at the Naval Academy over the past week-end, its representatives being Peggy Rees, Margaret Maize, Helen Kerr, Clouie Senetiere, and Ruth McArthur.

The Beta Chapter of the Lambda Phi Mu Medical Fraternity held an informal dance on Saturday, January 14, at the Grace Dodge Hotel Garden House. Dr. and Mrs. G. B. Jenkins chaperoned the affair. Music was furnished by The Virginians, and a fine time was had by all. C. De Stephano, a pledge, entertained at the piano in between dances.

Plans are being made for a huge formal dance to be held in this city within the next month and which will be sponsored by three chapters, that at Georgetown, that at Maryland, and that at our own George Washington U. Initiation of new members will precede the dance.

Sigma Theta Delta Fraternity held the annual election of officers last week.

The birthday of General Robert E. Lee, January 19th, was celebrated by Kappa Alphas of Washington with a banquet and dance at the Lee House. The fraternity was founded at Washington College, now Washington & Lee University, when General Lee was president of that institution, and he is considered as the spiritual founder and ideal of the fraternity.

Several members of Kappa Beta Pi legal sorority attended a tea given by Mrs. Mary Zimmerman in Baltimore last Sunday. Mrs. Zimmerman is a member of the only firm of women lawyers in Baltimore. She is a recent graduate of De Paul University in Chicago, and was the fifth woman to be admitted to the bar in Maryland.

Phi Chapter of the Phi Chi Medical Fraternity of the George Washington University Medical School, held an initiation Saturday night, January 28.

Pledges admitted to the chapter were Charles F. Mohr, Richard V. Mattingly, F. Neilson Stawbridge, William H. Clements, George P. Wyman, Mack Boyer, Robert C. Boyden, and Robert M. Bolton.

The Woodrow Wilson Senate of the Delta Theta Phi Law Fraternity held a formal initiation of candidates at the Hotel Lafayette(Sunday afternoon, followed by a dinner. Several members of the Alumni Senate were present. The following students of law at George Washington University were admitted to membership in the fraternity: Edwin Brenton Shaw, C. Stanley Titus, Jr., Charles P. Pollard, Albert J. Milans, Harold S. Blackman, Harold M. LaFont, Lieut. James H. Doyle, U. S. Navy; Lieut. Andre Cherbonier, U. S. M. C., and Thomas L. Lawrence.

Sigma Theta Delta fraternity held a large and enjoyable smoker on Monday night.

The dance given by Kappa Sigma at their chapter house on Saturday, January 28, was very much in keeping with the after-exam spirit, and everyone reported a "big time."

Betty Brandenburg spent the last week-end in January in New York, making arrangements for her trip abroad this summer.

Delta Tau Delta held a formal bridge at their chapter house on Saturday, February 4. They claim that the prizes were "sent for and didn't come," but Chris Christopher and Virginia Coles, who worked hard to win them, are still hoping for the best.

S. P. E. gave a dance at their house on Friday, February 3, which was pronounced a complete success.

The promisees of Chi Omega entertained the active chapter at a dance at the Grace Dodge Tea Garden on Monday, February 6.

Theta Upsilon Omega had an extensive program of entertainment last week, which consisted of a smoker on Monday night, a dance on Tuesday night, and another smoker on Thursday. We suppose the week was successful. At all events it culminated in the announcing by T. U. O. of the pledging of Martin Deuterman, James Knapp and Paul Johnson.

T. U. O. will also hold their annual Founders' Day Banquet at the Hamilton Hotel on February 16.

Edward Bagley, Truss Russel and Homer Tatum were among the Kappa Sigs present at the Congressional Reception.

S. A. E. gave a very enjoyable dance on Friday, February 3. Janet Sheppard and Jerry Sickler entertained with hits from the musical comedy.

A number of people from school were present at the surprise birthday party given for Verna Parsons on Saturday, February 4.

The Gate and Key Society will hold a dance at the Sigma Nu house on Saturday, February 18. Their initiation has been announced for February 15.

The alumni chapter of Gamma Beta Pi will meet tomorrow night at the home of Kitty Ruth on Brandywine Street. Bridge will probably be the main event of the evening.

Acacia Fraternity held a smoker at their chapter house. Professor Kayser and Dean Doyle gave speeches and the University Quartet gave a few numbers.

Sigma Chi gave a closed dance on Saturday, January 28. There was quite a large crowd present.

On January 29, Acacia Fraternity had Dr. Charles Butte as a guest for dinner at their chapter house. Dr. Butte is the Attorney General of Porto Rico and an alumnus of the Texas chapter of Acacia.

Dr. and Mrs. Bolwell entertained members of the cast and production staff of "Sharps and Frats" at tea on Sunday, February 5, for the purpose of discussing the proposed tour of the musical comedy.

THE LIGHT THAT FAILED

To anyone who believes in signs, the lights in the library flickered out at a very appropriate time on Friday afternoon of examination week. After five days of travail and toil, it is no wonder that the "light" finally decided to fail.

G. W. Orchestra Plays At John Dickson Home

String Quartet Plays Before German Society; To be Heard Over Radio Soon

The George Washington String Quartet, consisting of Herman Weihe, first violinist, S. Rosenberg, second violinist, Paul Gropp, viola, and Spencer Prentiss, cellist, played before the German Literary Society. On Sunday, January 29, the quartet will give a concert at the Jewish Community Center.

Plans are being made for a radio concert to be given in the near future.

The George Washington University Orchestra gave a concert at the John Dickson Home for the Aged, Friday, January 20, at eight o'clock.

On the program were the "Anvil Chorus," from "Il Trovatore"; the sextette from "Lucia"; the quartette from "Rigoletto"; a waltz by Severen; "Le Marche Militaire," Schubert; and the minuet from "E Flat Symphony," by Mozart.

Selections were also given by the Girls' Glee Club.

In speaking of the orchestra the leader, Paul Gropp, remarked on the noticeable improvement shown by the group since its inception three months ago.

"The success of any such organization depends on the student body," he says.

BERRY SPEAKS ON MATH

The Mathematics Club heard W. J. Berry, of the Mathematics Department, lecture on "Summable Series" on February 1. Mr. Berry demonstrated several theorems due to Borel and Cesaro regarding the artificial "sum" of a divergent series. The region of summability of a complex divergent series was shown to be a polygon as contrasted with the circle of convergence for a convergent series.

At the next meeting, which will be held on Wednesday, February 15, at 8 p. m., in Corcoran Hall, Room 22, P. J. Federico will discuss "Newton's Classification of Cubics." All interested are invited.

OFFICIAL UNIVERSITY NOTICES

Friday, February 3, 1928, 12.10 o'clock, University Chapel, led by President Marvin.

Tuesday, February 7, 1928, 12.10 o'clock, University Chapel, led by Professor Kayser.

Beginning classes in French and Spanish (catalogue No. 2 X), will be started January 30, at the hours listed below. These courses must be continued during the summer session immediately following. See catalogue statement.

French 2 X, Monday, Wednesday, Friday, at 6.10 p. m. in Corcoran Hall 15, Assistant Professor Foster.

Spanish 2 X, Tuesday, Thursday, Saturday, at 5.10 p. m., in Corcoran Hall 36, Mr. Corliss.

Friday, February 10, 12:10, University Chapel, led by President Marvin.

Tuesday, February 14, 12.10, University Chapel, led by Professor Farnham.

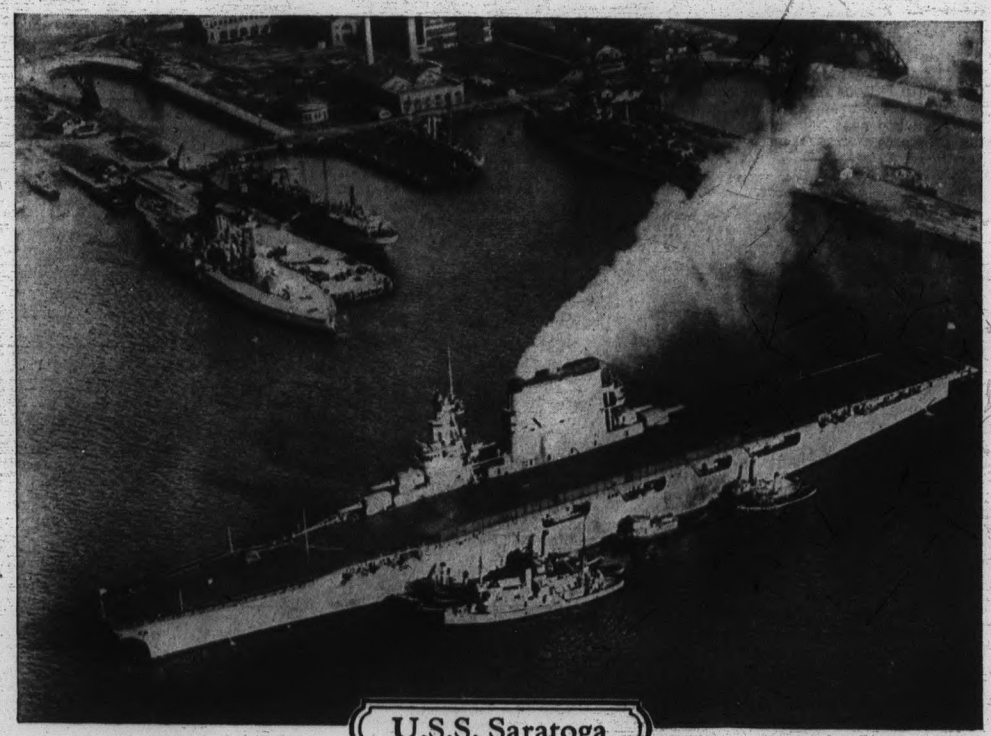
HISTORY CLUB HEARS ANECDOTES OF PAST

Anecdotes of the early days of G. W. U. were given by John T. Proctor, historian of the Oldest Inhabitants of Washington Association, at the meeting of the History Club held January 17. The original site of the University, said Mr. Proctor, was at Fourteenth and Florida Avenue, but the location was changed because this was "too far out in the country." The History Club hopes to have a return address by this speaker at some future meeting.

Dr. Charles Clinton Swisher, Emeritus Professor of History, gave an impromptu talk on various personalities of the old George Washington University.

The History Club will have a page in the Cherry Tree. The page will consist of individual pictures of the officers and a short history of the club and its activities.

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COLONIAL QUINTET WINS THREE TILTS IN FINALS WEEK

Roanoke College, Baltimore University, Salem, College, Defeated

DROP LONE GAME TO CATHOLIC UNIVERSITY

General Good Form of Buff and Blue Marred by Bits of Weird Play

The George Washington quintet won three of the four games played during the examination period.

Roanoke College was defeated in the H Street Gymnasium on February 2, by a 42 to 32 score. Baltimore University was met here on January 28, and received a 37 to 28 reverse. Catholic University, the old jinx, however, proved to be too strong for the Buff and Blue, in a game played in the Brookland Gymnasium on January 21, as the 40 to 20 score would indicate. Salem College, who was defeated by a 30 to 25 score, proved to be almost a match for the Colonials in a game on January 17, which was played on home territory.

Roanoke, 32—G. W., U. 42

A peculiar brand of basketball was witnessed in this game; peculiar in that the Roanoke five was beaten at several stages of the game but in each case refused to remain beaten. The score at half time stood at 20 to 8, but this did not prevent the rugged five from the South from coming within three points of the lead soon after the opening of the second half.

Two foul shots and a goal by Lopeman and tow goals and one free toss by Goodson again gave the Crummen an eleven-point lead. Ruthford, Nank, Dietrich and Wolf counted in close succession to lessen the G. W. lead and it was not until a spurt by Goodson, Allshouse and Perry near the end made the victory certain.

Summary and score:

Roanoke	G	F	T
Haar, f	1	4	6
Ritter, f	0	0	0
Williams, f	0	0	0
Wolf, f	1	1	3
Nank, c	4	1	9
Dietrich, g	1	7	9
Ruthford, g	1	3	5
Shannon, g	0	0	0
Totals	8	16	32
G. W. U.	**G**	**F**	**T**
Rangely, f	2	1	5
Allshouse, f	3	1	7
Carey, f	4	0	8
Barrows, f	0	0	0
Goodson, c	3	1	7
Motyka, c	0	0	0
Perry, g	5	2	12
Stehman, g	0	0	0
Lopeman, g	1	1	3
Grey, g	0	0	0
Totals	18	6	42

Referee—Sumner.

Baltimore U., 28—G. W., 37

Jimmie Carey ran wild in the game against Baltimore University and scored five sensational field goals to enable the Colonials to score an easy win over the highly-touted Baltimore five.

Diehl, fast Baltimore forward, was the bright light for the losers. Had it not been for 12 successful foul tosses which Referee Sumner gave the visitors they would not have been in the running at all.

Score and summary:

Baltimore U.	G	F	T
Diehl, f	4	8	16
Bowman, f	1	1	3
Klein, c	1	2	4
Morris, g	2	1	5
Parker, g	0	0	0
Voltz, g	0	0	0
Totals	8	12	28
G. W. U.	**G**	**F**	**T**
Allshouse, f	2	3	7
Barrows, f	0	1	1
Carey, f	5	0	10
Rangley, f	2	2	6
Goodson, c	2	1	5
Perry, g	1	1	3
Lopeman, g	2	1	5
Totals	14	9	37

Referee—Sumner.

Catholic U., 40—G. W. U., 20

The powerful Catholic University combination proved to be too much of a match for the Buff and Blue five. The score, however, does not indicate in any way the interesting battle which took place. Catholic U. got away to a nine-point lead before Perry dropped a free shot through the net. The score at half time stood at 22 to 7.

By the time the second half got under way the Colonials forgot that they were scared and made the Cardinals fight to keep their advantage. The scoring during the second half was more nearly even. Carey did the outstanding work for the Buff and Blue while Long and Foley performed the heavy work for the Cards.

Score and summary:

C. U. A.	G	F	T
Amann, f	3	0	6
Long, f	5	0	10
Carney, c	1	1	3
Harvey, g	3	1	7
Gioffre, g	0	0	0
Foley, g	6	2	14
Totals	18	4	40
G. W. U.	**G**	**F**	**T**
Carey, f	3	3	9
Sapp, f	0	0	0
Goodson, c	2	1	5
Perry, g	0	2	2
Lopeman, g	2	0	4
Totals	7	6	20

Referee—Schmid, (Bucknell.)

Tom David, Western High School Star, Enters G. W.; Shines In 3 Major Sports

Tom David, brilliant Western High School athlete, who has entered George Washington at the beginning of the second semester, may be counted upon to make his presence felt both on the football field and basketball court.

While at Western David played stellar roles in three sports, being quarterback on the football team, forward on the basketball five, and third baseman on the school nine. In 1924, he was captain of the fast quintet which represented the institution that year, and he also served in the capacity of acting captain of the football eleven.

After graduation at Western in 1926, David entered Strayer College, where he played a big part in baseball, basketball and tennis. While at Strayer College he was honored with the position of captain in the three sports in which he played.

V. P. I. SWAMPED BY G. W. RIFLERS

Take First Match of N. R. A. Weekly Series 1,380 To 1,292

LEIGHEY SCORES HIGH

Maryland, Western Maryland, V. M. I., Navy, Johns Hopkins and Georgetown to be Met

The rifle team started the N. R. A. League series successfully by swamping Virginia Polytechnic Institute 1380-1292. This match opens the series of seven weekly matches to be fired by the Rifle Team.

The teams included in the league with G. W. represent Virginia Polytechnic Institute, University of Maryland, University of Western Maryland, Virginia Military Institute, United States Naval Academy, Johns Hopkins, and Georgetown.

Individual Series

Attempts are being made to fire all matches shoulder-to-shoulder where the competing teams are located sufficiently close to each other. Other matches will be shot in the usual telegraphic manner.

The individual scores for the G. W. team follow:

	St'd'g.	Kn'l'g.	Pr.	Total.
R. A. Leighey	94	93	99	286
F. T. Parsons	87	94	98	279
G. B. Campbell	86	95	98	279
H. E. Riley	86	88	100	274
W. R. Lane	79	91	92	262

The standing score fired by R. A. Leighey is the highest score turned in this year under the new conditions and will probably stand as a record for some time to come. H. E. Riley is the second man to fire a possible for record on the new target. Two other men, Willard Isham and J. A. Schricker, tied for fifth place, but were outranked by W. R. Lane.

TEAM FLIES TO GAME

WICHITA, Kans. (IP).—When the University of Wichita basketball team went to play Hays State Teachers College last Saturday, they took to the air instead of undergoing a tiresome four day round trip.

Although the two schools are less than two hundred miles apart, railroad connections between them are poor, and two days are required to go by rail from one to the other.

Consequently a squadron of five aeroplanes was assembled to transport the cagers, making the trip in about four hours.

STUDENT GOVERNMENT OUT

MADISON, Wis. (IP).—The men's student government body at the University of Wisconsin, dead for over two years in reality, was formally buried this month when the body declared itself disolved.

Salem, 25— G. W. U., 30

Salem College, of West Virginia, extended the Crum aggregation in order to win by a nose in one of the most interesting games of the season. The game from beginning to end was a nip and tuck affair with first one team in the lead and then the other. The score was tied at 15 at the end of the half.

Realizing that the game belonged to the team showing the best game during the second half, both fives started the play with renewed effort. The play was so close and fast during this period that the spectators were on their feet most of the time. With the score tied at 21 and only a few minutes to play, Allshouse scored a goal from under the basket when the Salem defense gave way.

This score was followed by a pretty shot by Barrows, which was duplicated by a double score by Sapp. From this point on it became a matter of "freezing the ball" until the referee's whistle should put an end to further scoring.

Score and summary:

Salem	G	F	T
Kistler, f	3	3	9
Wilks, f	2	0	4
Dodds, c	4	2	10
Vincent, g	1	0	2
Floriana, g	0	0	0
Totals	10	5	25
G. W. U.	**G**	**F**	**T**
Carey, f	4	0	8
Sapp, f	3	5	11
Barrows, f	2	0	4
Allshouse, f	1	0	2
Goodson, c	1	2	4
Perry, g	0	0	0
Lopeman, g	0	1	1
Totals	11	8	30

Referee—Medermarch.

COLONIAL TRACK STARS ENTERED IN INDOOR MEETS

Baker, Pomeroy, Stevens Go To Track and Field Events At Richmond

WILL ALSO COMPETE AT CHARLOTTESVILLE

Prospects Good for Brilliant Spring Track Season; Most of Men Return; Blackman Manages

On Saturday, February 18, several carefully selected members of the George Washington track team will inaugurate the team's indoor season by participating in the University of Richmond track and field meet to be held in the huge armory at Richmond.

Owing to the total lack of indoor training facilities, it has not been possible to get an entire team into proper shape soon enough to enter this meet, so only three star members of the team are to be sent to the Virginia capital. Three letter men will be sent—Wilbur Baker, star of last year's team and winner of the men's individual high point trophy in the inter-class meet last spring; Floyd Pomeroy, veteran cross-country star and distance runner; and Stevens, crack half-miler.

Three Men Compete

Baker has been entered in the quarter, half-mile, and the mile. Pomeroy will be in the mile and two-mile runs, while Stevens has been entered in 1,000-yard run and the mile.

Steve Blackman has supplanted Milton Dennis as team manager and will accompany the men to Richmond.

These men are also entered in the Arcadia meet here in Washington on the 22nd, and the University of Virginia meet on the 25th. Several other men, including Elliot, will take part in these latter meets.

Other meets scheduled for the late spring and summer are the dual meet with C. U., meet with American U. and a joint meet with John Hopkins, C. U. and Gallaudet. A team will also be sent to the Penn relays.

Probey is Coach

Tom Probey obtained good results with the team last year, and will coach it again this season. Most of the team will be back. Hurd Willett, star cross-country runner and miler, has graduated and will not be with the team this year, while Milton Dennis, former manager, has gone to Europe. Except for these two, most of last year's men are expected back.

All those interested in trying out for the team are advised to get in touch with Steve Blackman at the Acacia Fraternity house, 1707 Mass. Ave. N. W., phone Decatur 439.

It is reported that Georgetown University will send its entire squad to the University of Richmond meet.

There are pending meets with the University of Delaware, University of Richmond, University of Virginia, William and Mary and Temple University, about which it is expected definite arrangements will soon be made.

FROSH BASKETBALL TEAM LOSES TO C. U.

Alexander Makes Three Goals and Loses Three; Frazier and Terry in Good Form

The George Washington Frosh put up a fine game against the C. U. Yearlings and referee as a preliminary to the G. W.-C. U. struggle in the Brookland Gymnasium, on February 2, but the odds were too great and they were defeated 20 to 19.

After getting away to a slow start the G. W. first year representatives found themselves and with successive shots by Alexander and Frazier, with a foul toss by Alexander for good measure, they went into the lead, which was not lost until the final minutes of the game, when penalties allowed O'Brien to toss a one-pointer from the fifteen foot line to gain a one-point advantage after Riley had knotted the score at 19 with a neat basket.

Alexander lead his mates at scoring with three baskets and an equal number of foul tosses. Frazier and Terry played their usual good game.

Summary and score:

C. U. F.	G.	F.	T.
Riley, forward	1	2	4
Nee, forward	0	2	2
Walsh, forward	0	1	1
Blummette, forward	0	4	4
Kuhn, center	1	0	2
O'Brien, center	0	1	1
Martin, guard	0	0	0
Fitzgerald, guard	1	2	4
Mulaney, guard	1	0	2
Buckley, guard	0	0	0
Totals	4	12	20

G. W. F.	G.	F.	T.
Alexander, forward	3	3	9
Frazier, forward	2	3	7
Randall, forward	0	0	0
Rangley, center	1	1	3
Kenny, guard	0	0	0
Terry, guard	0	0	0
Totals	6	7	19

FRAT HOUSES FLOODED

LEXINGTON, Ky. (IP).—Fraternity and sorority members at the University of Kentucky, returning from the Christmas vacation found all but one of their houses flooded with water caused by unexpected bursting water pipes and radiators. One sorority saved itself by turning off the water at the beginning of the recess.

EX-CADETS, NOTICE

Students in the University who were formerly members of the Corps of Cadets of the Washington High Schools, are requested to assemble on the steps of Corcoran Hall on Friday, February 10, at 12.15, when a group picture will be taken for the Adjutant, the cadet publication.

RIFLERS SHOOT IN NATIONAL MATCH

Arline Spencer Has Highest Score With 199 Points; Helen Taylor Second

NEXT MATCH MARCH 31

Squad is Cut From 100 to 36; Beginners' Matches Begin Next Week

George Washington University shot their first stage of the national match for the Woman's Champion Rifle Team Saturday, February 4, which was held under the auspices of the National Rifle Association. This match was won by G. W. last year and they are now defending the title.

Arline Spencer made the highest score with a final total of 199. This score has been made only once before on the new target. Helen Taylor scored 197 points, thus making the second highest score.

The schedule for the big triangular match of the season has been changed to March 31 at Maryland University, with Maryland U., Drexel and George Washington U. competing.

Final Cut Made

The final rifle cut has been made reducing the number of tryers-out from about 100 to 36. Those who survived the cut are: Asmuth, Benenson, Bethrine, Brookhart, Butler, Gott, B. J. Graham, P. Graham, Griswold, E. Hall, S. Hall, Hancock, Harriman, H. Holaday, M. Jamison, Michaelson, E. Mitchell, C. Palmer, Saegmutler, C. Seibert, Shaw, Simonds, E. Smith, C. Snyder, Spencer, B. Springer, C. Stewart, M. Stewart, Weller, Whitney, B. Eidhammer, D. Eidhammer, Farr, Junkin, Melton, and Ware.

The members of last year's team form the backbone of the team with some newcomers fighting hard for their places. Those who now compose G. W's team are: Betty Clark, Gene Cuvillier, Marjorie Folsom, Verna Parsons, Helen Prentiss, Arline Spencer, Helen Taylor, and Roberta Wright.

This week the beginners' matches start, with a silver loving cup offered in competition.

WOMEN'S BASKETBALL SQUAD HOLDS PRACTICE

Final Cut in Varsity to be Made Before American University Game February 18

The first practice of the women's varsity basketball squad was held on Tuesday, January 31, at 1.30 in the gymnasium. Varsity practice will be held regularly from now on through the season on Tuesdays at 1.30 and Fridays at 2.00 in the gym.

The first cut has been made in the number of girls practicing for varsity basketball. The members of the present squad are:

D. Albert, B. Brandenburg, M. Crouch, N. Crumley, J. Denning, E. Folsom, J. Orey, C. Kyle, A. Lawton, J. McGregor, K. Moore, C. Morris, L. Omwake, J. Sime, E. Sowers, M. Sproul, J. Turnbull, E. Zimmerman.

The squad will be further cut the week before the first varsity game, which will be with American University on February 18, 1928. After that date the squad will remain the same for the rest of the season.

Five Girls Selected To Compose Fencing Team

Hobbs, Merriam, I'Anson, Zimmerman, and Robinnet Chosen as Best G. W. Fencers

Major Walter E. Blount has selected a fencing team, composed of the five girls who have demonstrated the most ability in fencing during the regular Tuesday and Thursday night practices. This team will represent George Washington University in matches with Fairmont and Holton Arms Schools.

All members of the fencing classes have showed remarkable ability and progress during the fall and early winter classes, particularly Hobbs, Merriam, I'Anson, Zimmerman, and Robinnet, who have been chosen to make up the George Washington team. The girls have all taken part in individual bouts with each other and a few more skilled fencers whom Major Blount has supplied for experience. The matches with outside teams will take place later in the season.

STUDENTS, ATTENTION

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G. W. CLUB ASKS 100% AFFILIATION OF LETTER MEN

Organization Would Enroll All Who Have Won Letters In Years Past

OBJECT IS TO PROMOTE UNIVERSITY ATHLETICS

Letter Men Asked to Communicate With H. Clay Espey, President, Through Alumni Office

An active campaign has been started by the G. W. Club of George Washington to enroll all letter men of the University. Up to this time the club has included only those who have won their letters since the time of its organization in 1921, but it is now desired to make the membership complete by adding to the rolls all men who have won letters in years past.

Such men are asked to communicate with the President of the Club, H. Clay Espey, through the Alumni Office of the University, stating the year in which their G. W. was won and the sport for which it was awarded.

The new plan, it is hoped, will weld all those vitally interested in athletics at George Washington into a body which may be of real assistance in forwarding the athletic program of the University.

To Promote Athletics

The fundamental objects of the G. W. Club are: (1) To encourage the development of and promote cooperation among the various branches of athletics at George Washington University; and (2) To increase general interest in athletics.

Heightened enthusiasm for athletics has been manifest in recent years. The building of a gymnasium, the addition to the faculty of a Director of Athletics, the installation of the one-year rule which insures competent teams—these are some of the factors which, under the guidance of the Faculty Athletic Council, have contributed to the growing importance of athletics at the University. The splendid record of this year's football team and the important schedule which has been lined up for next fall have led to a quickened interest in football; while basketball, track and rifle squads are doing their share to spread the name and fame of George Washington in the athletic world.

"It is hoped that every George Washington letter man, from the oldest to the most recent grad, will aid in our program through affiliation with the G. W. Club," says Mr. Espey. "An athletic field; schedules which include the outstanding teams of the country; participation in athletics by a greatly increased percentage of students—these are some of the things we want to secure, and which are entirely possible of attainment with the outside stimulus which can be supplied by these whose athletic prowess while in the University naturally would lead to a continuing interest in athletics after graduation."

SWIMMING TEAM IS FORMED BY WOMEN

Red Cross Life-Saving Drill is Being Given in Mrs. Russell's Office

For the first time George Washington has a Women's Varsity Swimming team. Tryouts for this team were held Friday night and will be held again Friday, February 10th, in the Y. W. C. A. pool, at Sixth and E Streets N. W.

The events of the swimming meet will probably be sixty yards free style, sixty yards back-stroke, sixty yards breast-stroke, an eighty-yard relay, and six dives. Of these dives three are compulsory, the back, front and jack-knife and there will be three optional dives.

Tryouts Held

Those who are trying out are: Mary Ewin, Corella Morris, Judith Steele, Julia Denning, Claudia Kyle, Emily Walker, Louise Mackle, Helen Taylor, Margaret Moreland, Penelope Graham and Grace Hurd.

Red Cross life-saving land drill is being given in Mrs. Russell's office every Tuesday and will be given for three weeks longer. Judith Steel and Louise Cooke will soon be given the examiners test, which is the highest certificate that can be given in life-saving. If they pass and receive the examiner's certificate they will be enabled to give the Life-Saving Tests to other applicants.

PHI GAM ADOPTS BLACK TWINS

SEATTLE, Wash. (IP).—Sophisticated fraternity row opened its heart the other night, and welcomed into its fold twin African infants abandoned in freezing weather on the front porch of the Phi Gamma Delta house.

The twins, nestled each in an old golosh, tagged with a crimson bow, slept peacefully through the abandonment, little realizing their cruel plight until they were taken into the house by the University of Washington fraternity men, who answered the door after the bell had been rung.

A single scrawled note, attached to one of the infants, read: "Treat them kindly." A thorough search of the neighborhood, immediately instigated, failed to produce any persons connected with the little darkies.

"We are thoroughly astounded," one of the fraternity brothers said in an exclusive interview, "as it is rather a stupendous task for 40 fraternity men to undertake the rearing of two abandoned black infants. But we will do our best."

And so, Phi Gamma Delta has in its possession twin persian kittens, which it is willing to offer for Tolo dates, new ideas for fraternity rushing, or what-have-you.

WOMEN'S ATHLETIC CALENDAR

MONDAY
9.00-12.00. Gymnasium classes.
1.00- 2.00. Dancing classes.

TUESDAY
1.30. Varsity basketball.
Red Cross Life Saving Land Drill in Gymnasium.
4.00- 4.30. Swimming.
5.00- 7.00. Fencing.
7.00- 8.00. Recreational Gymnasium.
7.30- 8.00. Swimming.

WEDNESDAY
9.00-12.00. Gymnasium.
1.00- 2.00. Dancing classes.

THURSDAY
2.00. Basketball.
4.00- 4.30. Swimming.
5.00- 7.00. Fencing.
7.00- 8.00. Recreational Gymnasium.

FRIDAY
9.00-12.00. Gymnasium classes.
1.00- 2.00. Dancing classes.
2.30. Varsity basketball.
4.00- 4.30. Swimming.
7.30- 8.00. Swimming.

QUINT WILL MEET 3 TOUGH FOEMEN

Trio of Hard Games Faces Crummen During Week of February 11

EXPECT STIFF FIGHTS

Hampden-Sidney, St. Bonaventure and Guilford Medical College to Come Here for Battles

Going into the week of February 11, the Colonial basketball men find three hard games ahead of them—Hampden-Sidney on Monday the thirteenth, St. Bonaventure on Wednesday the fifteenth, and Guilford Medical College on Thursday the sixteenth.

The first engagement, next Monday night at 8:30, looks to be their hardest game. Hampden-Sidney has a good team this year, fast and well coached. It was only by a desperate rally in the closing minutes of play that George Washington was able to squeeze out a victory over them on their last tour.

Playing in somewhat better form than they did on that occasion, if we may judge from their recent games, they figure to give G. W. a good, stiff fight. Some point to the fact that Hampden-Sidney has beaten Wake Forest, who emerged victorious in last Saturday night's game with the Crum quint at the home gym, and claim that G. W. may even be due for a defeat. However, the consensus of opinion on the team itself seems to be that if they did it once, they can beat them again with even less difficulty, and all are ready after a good rest to extend themselves to the utmost to win.

Saints are Formidable

In next Wednesday night's game, the Colonials encounter another formidable foe in St. Bonaventure College. Ably coached by a former noted Georgetown athlete, the Saints always have a good team, and this year is no exception.

They have not met so far this year, but last year George Washington won a hard fought game from them at St. Bonaventure. They have not forgotten it, and are literally thirsting for an opportunity to even the score, which they will get next Wednesday. Whether or not they will be satisfied is another matter altogether.

Guilford Medical College will come all the way from Guilford, N. C., to play the Orangemen at the local gym on Thursday, February 16. While not so well known as the two teams playing here earlier in the week, the Doctors have gotten together a team that will undoubtedly offer ample opposition.

They have beaten Roanoke College, and lost to Wake Forest Deacons by only a few points, so everything points to a good game next Thursday.

MILLION GIVEN CHICAGO

MADISON, Wis. (IP).—Albert Lasker, former chairman of the United States Shipping Board, and his wife, Mrs. Flora W. Lasker, have put a sum of one million dollars at the disposal of the University of Chicago for the fighting of disease.

The special object of the research will be the afflictions of those of 50 years of age or more, such as Bright's disease, cancer, and heart trouble.

Commenting on the gift, President Max Mason, of Chicago, said that "while the life expectancy of young people has increased, persons of middle age live no longer on the average than they did 100 years ago. Research in this branch of medicine has been restricted because of concentration on other diseases."

HOOVER WINS YALE VOTE

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (IP).—Herbert Hoover received 1258 of the 2177 votes cast by Yale faculty members and undergraduates in a recent straw vote on presidential choices, conducted by the Yale News. He received 830 more votes than his nearest competitor, Al Smith, of New York. Dawes, Ritchie, Lowden, Baker, Young, Reed, and Curtis finished in the order mentioned.

WOULD CHANGE NAME

MIDDLETOWN, Conn. (IP).—Agitation which subsided sometime ago has been renewed by the students and alumni of Wesleyan University, to have the name of the institution changed. The reason for the desired change is the general mix-up caused by the fact that there are a score of Wesleyans scattered throughout the United States.

DEACONS WIN BY SINGLE COUNTER

Wake Forest Noses Out Colonials, 27 to 26, In Fast, Flashing Game

GOOD FLOOR GAMES SHOWN

Nip and Tuck Game Shows Both Quints in Condition; Rangely, Goodson, Perry Score

The Wake Forest Deacons nosed out the Colonials in the final minutes of play in a hectic game in the University Gymnasium last Saturday night by a narrow margin of one point. The final score was 27 to 26.

Both teams played a fast floor game with flashes of fast passing and accurate shooting. The Colonials displayed better floor tactics, working the ball under the basket more often than their foe. The Wake Forest tossers, however, were more accurate on long attempts.

The Deacons got away to a three-point lead when Scarbord opened with a foul shot and Carter followed with a goal. Rangley countered for the Buff and Blue and dropped a neat shot through the ring. James increased the Deacon's lead by tossing in a long shot from the side. A free toss by Perry and a foul and goal by Rangley tied the score at seven all. Dowtin sank a pretty long shot to give his mates a lead which was retained until the opening of the second half. The half ended with the score at 14 to 10.

Colonials Rally

The Colonials opened the second half with a rush that left the Deacons breathless. Goodson scored two points on trys from the fifteen-foot mark after which Perry, Rangely, and Goodson counted in rapid succession to gain an 18 to 15 point advantage. The last basket by Goodson resulted from a pretty pass and pivot play.

The boys of ecclesiastical tendencies again went into a one-point lead near the end of the game when Weir threw a pretty two-pointer through the rim. Lopeman then came through with his first field goal which he followed with a free toss. Carter came within one point of knotting the score. At this point Goodson was forced to retire on personal fouls.

Barrow who took Goodson's place in the lineup followed Lopeman's beautiful shot to increase the Buff and Blue lead to five points. The Deacons were not to be denied for with but one minute and ten seconds to play Weir, Dowtin, and Carter registered to score a victory.

The score and summary:

Wake Forest (27)

	G.	F.	T.
James, forward	1	4	6
Scarbord, forward	1	1	3
Dowtin, center	4	1	9
Carter, guard	4	1	9
Weir, guard	1	1	3
Totals	10	7	27

Geo. Wash. (26)

	G.	F.	T.
Rangely, forward	3	3	9
Barrow, forward	1	0	2
Carey, forward	1	1	3
Goodson, center	1	2	4
Lopeman, guard	2	1	5
Totals	9	8	26

Referee, Mr. Sumner, Central Board. Time of game, 20 minutes.

FROSH QUINT HUMBLES MEDICAL SCHOOL TEAM

Tom David Stars With Six Field Goals, Downing Medicos, 3 to 26

Tom David starred with six pretty field goals as the G. W. Freshmen humbled the all-star fat man's team from the Medical School to the tune of 3 to 26, in the H Street Gymnasium, on February 2.

The Frosh held the Medico's at their mercy at all times and scored almost at will. Levine, who carried just a little more weight than his other teammates, scored all three points for the Doctors during the first half.

Frazier and Randall played well for the Frosh. Terry played his usual steady game. It is hard to say just which member of the Medical School team caused the greatest amount of mirth.

Score and summary:

G. W. M.

	G.	F.	T.
Cardwell, forward	0	0	0
Sadoff, forward	0	0	0
Friedman, forward	0	0	0
Jones, forward	0	0	0
Levine, center	1	1	3
Detwiller, guard	0	0	0
Breslow, guard	0	0	0
Paganilli, guard	0	0	0
Total	1	1	3

G. W. F.

	G.	F.	T.
David, forward	6	0	12
Thacker, forward	1	0	2
Randall, forward	2	0	4
Phillips, forward	0	0	0
Frazier, center	2	2	6
Anderson, center	0	0	0
Terry, guard	1	0	2
Blank, guard	0	0	0
Canney, guard	0	0	0
Blain, guard	0	0	0
Total	12	2	26

FOUND

A fountain pen at car stop at 21st Street and Pennsylvania Avenue N. W., Wednesday, February 1, about 7 o'clock. Owner may have same by identifying it to E. A. Hanft, 1906 Second Street N. E. Phone Potomac 6343.

Student, Broke, Bums Way to U. of Oregon; Works His Way Through

EUGENE, Oreg. (IP).—Starting out from Albion, N. Y., for the University of Oregon, Eugene, Oreg., with but $1.03 in his pocket, Michael John Mesi, 19, reached his goal last September, ready to start his studies, with a grand total of $5.35. Now that he has completed his first term here, received good grades, and though his cash reserve is not yet very large, he is ready to register again for the second semester.

"Great stuff!" he declares in describing his long trip across the continent, which took him 25 days. His days and nights were filled with strange experiences and adventures. Night after night, his funds depleted, he sought shelter in city jails. He rode freight trains when auto rides were infrequent.

He washed dishes for meals, worked at odd jobs of every description, but he kept happy and optimistic.

REFEREES' EXAM STAGED AT G. W.

Two Representative G. W. Teams Meet In Fast Game In Gym

WHITES DEFEAT REDS

Exhibition Match on January 21 Ends With Reds Defeating Whites, 34-29

Miss Saure, Chairman of the Washington Board of Women's Basketball officials, gave a referees' examination to a number of applicants in the George Washington University Gymnasium on Saturday, January 21. Two representative George Washington teams staged a game which was refereed by the various applicants.

The members of the white and red teams chosen by Miss Davis as the best women basketers in the University, played a fast, clean game, which ended in a score of white 34-red 29. Miss Saure, who is extremely prominent in the line of Women's Athletics, chose George Washington as the school on which to examine a number of women who wished to be qualified as basketball referees. Miss Sauer complimented Miss Davis upon the fast work of the teams and had to request the girls to make more fouls to give the referees a greater opportunity to show their knowledge.

Members of the Red and White teams showed exceptionally good teamwork, though many substitutions were made throughout the match.

Line-Up

White Team		Red Team
Folsom	Guard	Sime

Substitutions: Omwake for Lawton, Lawton for Sowers, Turnbull for Omwake, Hobbs for Turnbull, Palmer for Moore, Morris for Sime, Brandenburg for Moore, Palmer for Brandenburg.

Score: White 34; Red 29.
Sowers (1) 1: (3) 2.
McGregor (1) 1: (12) 2.
Crumley (7) 2: (4) 1.
Lawton (2) 1: (1) 2.

EAST LOSES CONTROL OF COLLEGE FOOTBALL

Harvard Not on Rules Committee; Few Changes; Goal Posts and Lateral Pass Discussed

NEW YORK (IP).—No longer will the East control collegiate football.

This became very evident at the meetings of the football officials and coaches which were held recently in the Hotel Astor here.

The most important result of the conference was the reorganization of the rules committee. Since the early days of the gridiron sport, Yale, Harvard and Princeton have had a dominant position in the making of regulations that govern the game, and the new make-up of the committee indicates that all sections of the country will hereafter have an equal influence.

Harvard lost representation on the committee under the new arrangement.

Coach T. A. D. Jones, of Yale, was chosen to head the New England district, being the only New England member on the list. There are eight national districts, and the head of each district, with two delegates at large, now comprise the committee.

Although football experts at first predicted many changes in the rules for the coming year, resulting from the general dissatisfaction with the regulations which were enacted last year, the recent conclave failed to provide any startling changes.

The rule placing the goal posts ten yards back met with a certain amount of approval on the part of the coaches, and no change was enacted there.

The lateral pass was the subject of a great deal of discussion, however, and although no changes were made at this conference, it is expected that there will be at the next meeting in February.

The Football Coaches Association as a body does not have the privilege of altering the rules, but it has appointed three representatives to act in conjunction with the rules committee in refining the lateral pass. Knute Rockne, of Notre Dame, Hugo Bezdek, of Penn State, and Barnell, of the University of Washington, will sit with the rules committee at the next meeting.

The Football Coaches Association recommended that the lateral pass be restored to its normal state, and that a muffed lateral be prone to be recovered by the enemy. The coaches were almost unanimous in declaring that the lateral pass game was nothing but a gamble, and that it should incur the same danger as any other play.

CO-ED SIXES END CLASS CONTESTS

Game Played February 17 Between Seniors and Freshmen I Completes Series

SOPHOMORES WIN SERIES

Seniors Handicapped By Absence of Forward; Omwake Finds Goal For 22 Points

The final game of the interclass basketball series, which was played off in the gymnasium on Tuesday afternoon, January 17th, between the Freshman I team and the Seniors, decided the contest for second place in favor of the Freshman I team. The final score was 28 to 22.

The Seniors played valiantly from the first whistle, but were seriously handicapped by having but one forward position filled. Lou Omwake at forward succeeded in eluding the two Freshman guards to sink the 22 points scored by the Senior team.

Brandenburg Stars in Center

Brandenburg and Ewin at center for the Seniors formed a powerful combination against Albert and Sproul of the opponents. Swanton and Zimmerman, guarding the Freshman forwards did much toward holding down the score.

When the first half ended, the score stood tied with 6 points for each team and the outcome looked very uncertain. However, Lawton and McGregor, Freshman forwards spurted and brought in 22 points in the second half to the 16 scored by the lone Senior forward.

Sophs Win Series

The final standing of the class teams as as follows:

1. Sophomores.
2. Freshman I.
3. Seniors.

The Sophomores won their victory by winning two games and tieing one, while the second place was contested for in the above game between the next two ranking teams.

The line-up:

FRESHMAN I (28)		SENIORS (22)
A. Lawton	F.	L. Omwake
J. McGregor	F.	
D. Albert	C.	B. Brandenburg
M. Sproul	S. C.	M. Ewin
C. Morris	G.	B. Zimmerman
C. Palmer	G.	M. Swanton

Goals—Lawton, 7 2's 2 1's; McGregor, 4 2's, 4 1's; Omwake, 10 2's, 2 1's.

HOLD ICE CARNIVAL

HANOVER, N. H. (IP).—Eleven colleges will skate and ski in numerous contests on February 10 and 11, when Dartmouth College holds its annual Winter Carnival here. Those colleges which have entered the Winter Sports Union Championship meets are Bates, Bowdoin, Colby, Middlebury, McGill, Norwich, Williams, Colgate, New Hampshire, and Syracuse.

Lafayette, Amherst, Michigan State, and Massachusetts Agricultural College also have been invited to attend and participate.

UNIVERSITIES WASTE TIME ON UNFIT—WORK

Charges Over-Education of Mediocrity Under Education of Superior Ability

"Over-education of mediocrity and under-education of superior ability" is the charge laid against universities by Secretary of Interior Hubert Work.

"If the university will leave the task of preparation to the high school and college, it ought to be able to rid itself of unwieldy masses of unfitted students and perform its proper function in the fields of professional training and the discovery of new truths. I do know that boys can be kept in universities until too old to learn how to make a living."

HARVARD TO USE MOVIES

CAMBRIDGE, Mass. (IP).—Harvard is planning to use moving pictures in its classrooms as a means of visual education.

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HAROLD WHEELER AT WORK ON NEW DEVICE FOR RADIO

Engineering School Alumnus Reports Progress to Institute of Radio Engineers

MEETING HELD IN NEW YORK ON NOVEMBER 2

Device Automatically Adjusts Sets to Receive Stations With Same Degree of Loudness

No longer will Station ABC come in like a lion while Station XYZ bleats like a lamb, when radio sets embody a device which automatically controls the volume, developed by Harold A. Wheeler, a graduate of the George Washington University School of Engineering, of the class of 1925.

A report of progress on this important development was read by Mr. Wheeler at the meeting of the Institute of Radio Engineers held in New York City on November 2.

The paper described a method whereby a new radio circuit arrangement permits an automatic control of loud-speaker volume so that neither the detector nor any of the audio-amplifier stages become overloaded. In this way distant signals which fade out and in rather badly are controlled automatically so that the maximum volume level can never exceed a definite value.

Named "Audiostat"

Fading signals heretofore have been a drawback to the use of sensitive multistage radio-frequency amplifiers because of the constantly changing levels of loud-speaker volume. The device is expected entirely to correct these difficulties.

The name "Audiostat" has been selected for this device because of its tendency to maintain the audible intensity at a constant value.

With Mr. Wheeler radio was a boyhood hobby which has led to the development of genius in that field. As early as 1922 he was associated with Professor Hazeltine in the development of the Neutrodyne radio receiving set. This type of set was the first popular radio receiver to receive distant stations without "squealing." Some twenty of the largest radio manufacturers in the United States, including Crosley, Fada, and Stromberg-Carlson, are now making this type of set.

Was Honor Student

Mr. Wheeler has been connected with the Hazeltine Corporation since its formation in 1924, engaged in research and the development of Neutrodyne sets for the manufacturers.

Following his graduation from high school, in 1921, Mr. Wheeler entered George Washington University, having won one of the University scholarships offered to high school students of the District of Columbia. He was graduated in 1925, receiving the degree of B. S. in Physics, with distinction; was valedictorian of his class and won the Ruggles Medal in Mathematics. Since then he has been working at Johns Hopkins University toward the Ph. D. degree in Physics, having also delivered a course of lectures to graduate students in that institution. His thesis will deal with the measurement of very weak electric currents resulting from the action of light or X-rays.

In 1926, Mr. Wheeler married Miss Ruth Gregory, A. B. '26, daughter of Rear-Admiral L. E. Gregory. They have a small daughter, Dorothy, born last October 24.

HOYT WILL ADDRESS ENGINEERS' SOCIETY

John C. Hoyt, Vice-President of the Washington section of the American Society of Civil Engineers, will address the student organization of that body on Friday, February 10, 1928. Mr. Hoyt will discuss the general organization, and his lecture will be illustrated by slides. There will also be a film on the Conowingo project in Maryland, and Howard Burd, student, will give a talk on photographic surveying.

NEWMAN CLUB TO MEET

The Newman Club of George Washington University will meet February 14th, in C. H. 23, at 8:30. Father Charles Hart of Catholic University, will address the meeting. His topic will be announced later. Plans are completed for the Valentine Card Party to be held at the Burlington Hotel, Wednesday evening, February 15th. This is expected to be the banner affair of the year and will be well worth attending.

Any new Catholic students are especially invited to attend the meeting.

CO-EDS SWAMP CORNELL

ITHACA, N. Y. (IP).—Cornell, until recently a stolid old men's university, is definitely co-educational now.

The school which only recently allowed women to enter its portals as regular students, has just been given $1,650,000 for the erection of four new women's residence halls, the plans for which are completed, and the work ready to commence with the coming of spring.

The donor of the buildings is anonymous. He is a graduate of the university, it is understood, and his wife studied there recently.

YALE DAILY 50 YEARS OLD

NEW HAVEN, Conn. (IP).—The Yale Daily News, advertising itself as the oldest daily college paper in the United States, is to celebrate its fiftieth anniversary this week.

RADIO GENIUS



Harold Wheeler, a recent graduate who is considered one of the leading Radio engineers of the country.

SCIENCE AWARD GIVEN BARTSCH

Chairman of G. W. Zoology Department Awarded Travelling Fellowship

WILL GO TO WEST INDIES

Will Make Use of Award to Finish Monograph Long Under Way

The Smithsonian Institute has awarded the Walter Rathbone Bacon research fellowship for the years 1928-1930 to Dr. Paul Bartsch, Professor of Zoology in the University, and curator of mollusks in the National Museum. Dr. Bartsch will make use of the award to collect material for the completion of a monograph he has long had under way on the land shells of the West Indies.

The fellowship was established under the terms of the will of Mrs. Virginia Purdy Bacon, of New York, as a memorial to her husband. The will bequeathed to the Smithsonian Institute $50,000 to endow a traveling scholarship for the study of the fauna of countries other than the United States. Mrs. Bacon died in 1919, but the fellowship did not become available until 1924. Increases in the value of the stocks bequeathed have brought the principal up to $62,000, so that the annual value of the fellowship is over $3,000.

During the years 1925-1927 the award was held by Dr. Waldo Schmitt, formerly of the George Washington University faculty, curator of marine invertebrates of the National Museum. Dr. Schmitt explored the entire coast line and some of the interior of South America in the first complete survey of the shrimp and crab resources of that contingent ever made, and added extensive contributions to our knowledge of the coastal fauna of South America.

According to the rules established by the Smithsonian for the regulation of the award, it is given for two years and may be extended; a report must be made which the Smithsonian reserves the right to publish; and all collections, photographs, records and equipment become the property of the Institute.

E. B. Henderson Talks Before Geologic Frat

History of Useful Minerals is Subject of Address Before Sigma Gamma Epsilon

Tau Chapter of Sigma Gamma Epsilon National Geologic Fraternity held an open meeting, Tuesday, February 7th, in Room 34 of Building 4, at 7 o'clock in the evening. Speakers for the evening were E. B. Henderson, Instructor in Mineralogy at George Washington University and chemist with the U. S. Geological Survey, who talked on "The History of a Few Useful Minerals," and Fred L. Serviss, professor of Geology in Catholic University, who spoke on "Geology and Mining Law."

This was the second of a series of open meetings which have been projected by the local Chapter of Sigma Gamma Epsilon.

At other meetings to be announced from time to time addresses on geological and geographical subjects will be given by members of the fraternity, members of the Department of Geology of the University, and by selected speakers from outside. These addresses will all be open to the public, and students of the University who are interested in Geology or Geography are invited to attend.

POSITION OPEN

Dean Doyle is in a position to recommend a student interested in foreign trade for appointment at a salary of $1,600 a year in an organization of national importance, with opportunity for advancement. Applicants should have a good knowledge of French and German, (Italian is desirable, but not necessary), be able to use typewriter, and have a good personality.

STUDENT TRAVEL CLUB

All students who are interested in European travel, and who were unable to attend the talk given by Mr. Wine of the History Department, concerning the Students Travel Club, may receive information about the club from Mr. Wine, himself, or direct their inquiries to The Students Travel Club, 551 Fifth Avenue, New York City.

AUDIENCE IS HELD RESPONSIBLE FOR MEDIOCRE DRAMA

Clayton Hamilton, Eminent Playright, Scores Modern Taste In Talk At G. W.

SAYS DRAMATIST MUST "WRITE DOWN" TO PUBLIC

Uncultured Theatre-Goers to Blame for Prevalence of "Abie's Irish Rose" Drama

Theatre audiences are not what they used to be, and this fact is seriously hampering the development of the drama, in the opinion of Clayton Hamilton, eminent playright and lecturer, who spoke at the University on Thursday, February 2. Mr. Hamilton has been in Washington in the interest of George Tyler's revival of Sardou's "Diplomacy" which is playing at the National this week.

Whereas, Mr. Hamilton pointed out, in the golden age of Pericles an audience of uniformly educated and cultured persons gathered to witness the play, today the theatre audience is made up of people of different ideals, many of them uneducated and most of them uncultured. "The range and scope of dramatic art in any place and at any period must be dictated by the range and scope and imaginative capacity of the available public," said Mr. Hamilton, in explanation of the present popularity of the "Abie's Irish Rose" school of drama.

Watches the Audience

"When you go to the theatre," said Mr. Hamilton, "you look at the stage and pay attention to the actors, and that is what is expected of you, but when I go to the theatre I often sit far forward in the auditorium and turn my back rudely upon the actors and devote my attention to the audience. For those of us who are active in the theatre the drama that is enacted in the auditorium is frequently much more exciting than that enacted on the stage. The people gathered out in front constitute our business partners in the enterprise of the theatre and also constitute our collaborators in the development of dramatic art.

"The very existence of the play demands the presence of a gathered audience and not mere presence, but active participation. And so long as people sitting in the theatre remain conscious of the fact that they are looking at something outside of themselves the play does not come into real existence. So long as they remain conscious of the merely physical fact that the theatre is divided into the world behind the footlights and the world in front of the footlights, the play has not yet come alive. The play springs into existence only when it pours over the footlights and begins to happen in the minds and hearts of the people down in front, or when in their imaginations they swarm up over the footlights and enter the room on the stage set and feel that they are listening to conversation which they might conceivably at any moment interrupt, or participating in action in which they might at any moment take an active part.

"The conditions of civilization in this country today make it very difficult for the dramatist. We have such an unsystematic method of gathering a theatre audience that at the present time it is not possible to gather at one time 1,200 people who will constitute a homogeneous audience."

CLASSES OF '28 SIGNING UP FOR GRADUATE FUND

Class Presidents, Under Leadership of Henry James, Will Interview Every Senior

ANY ALUMNUS OF G. W. MAY BE CONTRIBUTOR

$11,625 Has Been Pledged to Graduate Endowment Fund Since its Founding in 1926

Presidents of the Classes of 1928 have begun the work of signing up this year's graduates for the George Washington University Graduate Endowment Fund. Under the leadership of Henry H. James, member of the Board of Administrators of the Fund and Chairman of the Committee working with officers of the senior classes, class presidents will interview personally each senior, explaining the purposes of the fund and asking for pledges.

The standard donation is $100, payable in ten years. While the individual contribution thus is not burdensome, a constantly increasing fund is being established which, according to President Marvin, "in time will be one of the most valuable funds the University has."

Founded in 1926

The fund was founded in 1926, and already has reached a total pledged of $11,625. Forty members of the class of 1926, who are designated Founders of the Fund, pledged $4,125, while the class of 1927, with 75 pledges, has contributed $7,500.

When the fund originated in 1926, several interested alumni made pledges which are included in the 40 subscriptions credited to the class of 1926. Any alumnus of the University may become a contributor to the fund under the above terms.

Class Presidents

Members of the Board of Administrators of the Graduate Endowment Fund are: Professor Arthur F. Johnson, M. E. '15, Chairman; Gilbert K. Ludwig, B. S. in M. E. '26, originator of the fund; Henry H. James, B. S. in C. E. '27, and Evelyn W. Jones, A. B. '21, Secretary.

Clarissa Tufts Jenks' Poems Are Published

Privately Printed Edition Carries Out Wish Expressed by Author in Last Days

"Pictures of Silver," a volume of poems by the late Clarissa Tufts Jenks, A. B. '01, has been published privately by Clayton L. Jenks.

The publication carries out the wish expressed by the author during her last days that her poems might prove a source of pleasure and inspiration to many and thus fulfill the purpose of her long years of illness.

Many of the two hundred and eighty-four poems in the book have been printed in newspapers and magazines, signed with the pen name of the author, Clarissa Brooks.

"To many, the everyday things and tasks become prosaic, but the author had the poetic vision to see and to picture beauty in the commonplace," it has been said of Clarissa Brooks. "Inspired by love, she wrote a wonderful and satisfying philosophy of home life."

Copies of "Pictures of Silver" may be obtained by writing directly to Mr. Jenks at Worcester, Mass.

PRES. MARVIN SPEAKS AT ALUMNI LUNCHEON

President Cloyd Heck Marvin was the speaker at the luncheon given by the Washington Alumni on Saturday, January 28, at the Hotel Lafayette.

These luncheons are held on the last Saturday of each month throughout the school year. All Washington alumni are invited to attend.

A speaker of interest is always secured for the occasions.

The luncheons start promptly at 12.30 and end promptly at 1.30. The charge is one dollar a plate.

NAME CHANGE ASKED

PROVIDENCE, R. I. (IP).—Because it believes that the Women's College of the Brown University should "not suffer in any way from connection by name with the very university of which it is an integral part," the Brown Daily Herald is advocating that the name of the Women's institution be changed to "Pembroke College in Brown University." The present name, according to the Herald, leads the public to believe that Brown is a co-educational institution, which it is n

SEVEN ARE PLEDGED TO GAMMA ETA ZETA

Girls Outstanding in Publication Work Honored by Election in Journalistic Fraternity

Gamma Eta Zeta, Honorary Journalistic fraternity of the University, has elected to membership seven girls who have done outstanding work on the various University publications.

Marjorie Folsom, assignment editor on the Hatchet; Harriet Ross and Margaret Maize from the Cherry Tree staff; Alice Graham, a member of the Board of Editors of the Hatchet; Betsy Booth, women's sports editor on the Hatchet; Helen Dix, from the Cherry Tree and Colonial Wig; and Maude O'Flaherty, a senior reporter who has done excellent work.

Pledging of the new members was held in the Woman's Building, Sunday, January 29, at three o'clock.

Initiation will take place at a banquet at some future date.

CHAMPION DEBATERS RETURN

EUGENE, Ore. (IP).—When Benoit McCroskey, Jack Hempstead and Avery Thompson, University of Oregon World Tour debaters, land in New York the latter part of next month after circumnavigating all of the globe but the North American continent, on the most extensive debate tour ever undertaken by an American university, their labors will not yet be over and they will not yet be free to speed across the United States to their alma mater.

Before they return to Eugene they will have twenty more debates scheduled with universities and colleges between Carlisle, Pa., and Logan, Utah, covering a period of six weeks and all the states in between.

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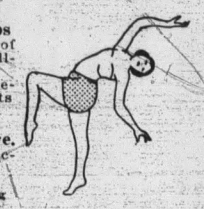
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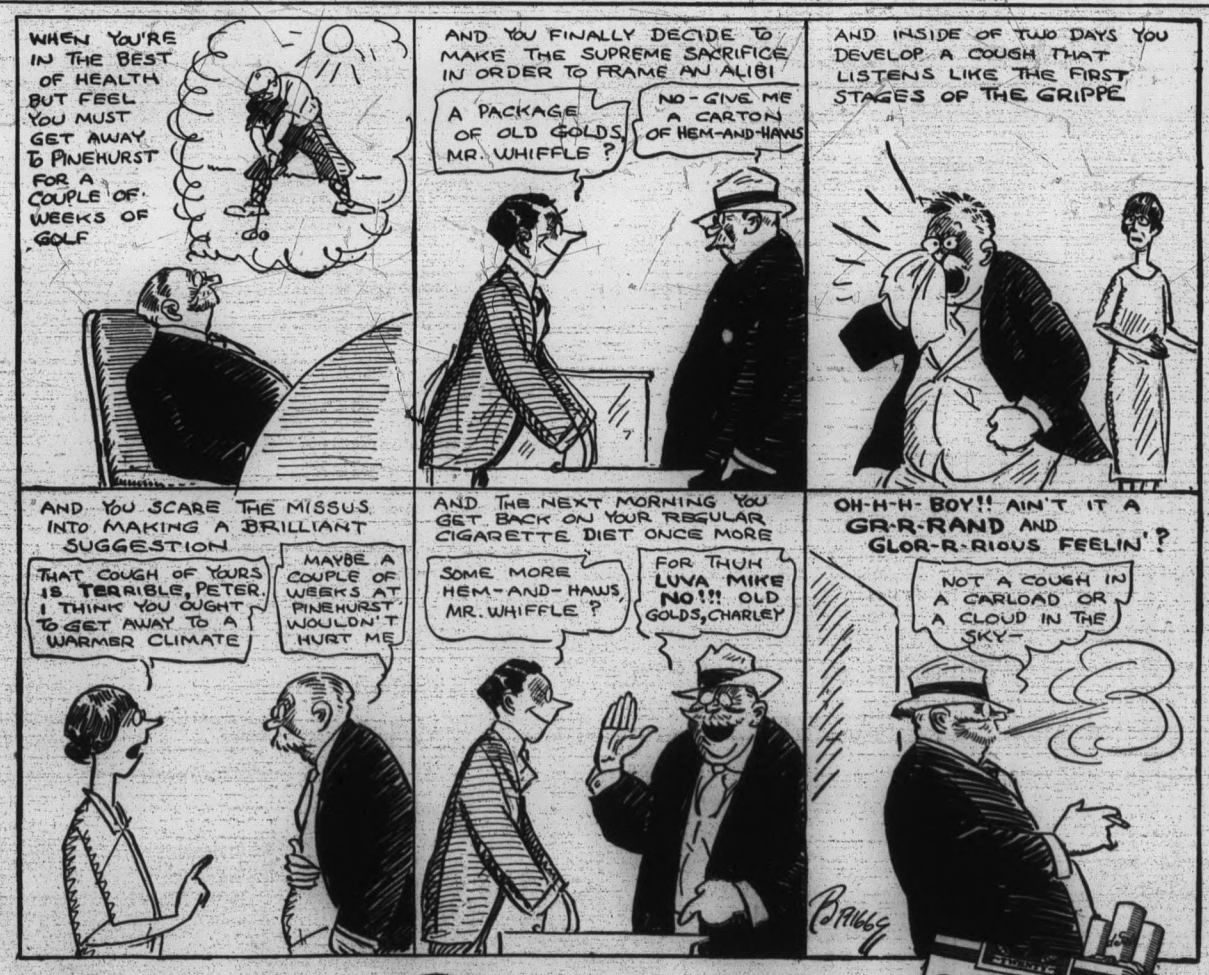
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Students "with the travel lust and thin pocketbooks" are no longer debarred from the thrills of travel. Opportunity for earning a part, or all, of one's traveling expenses is now made possible due to the increasing popularity of student tours and the work connected with them. Those students who are desirous of taking a trip to Europe this summer should see Professor Foster, (Building 13, Room 21), who will explain the delights and benefits of the different tours that are open both to those students who need to defray part of their expenses and those who do not wish to do so.

"Student tours," said Professor Foster, "are of comparatively recent development. The first one started five years ago on the Holland American line. Since that time student travel has grown extensively. Several ships have converted all their second class cabins into student third class. It has always been a problem to keep the two classes separated. Formerly the second class passengers tried to mingle with the first class. But now the students have made the second class so popular that those traveling first class want to be on the second class decks where all the fun is!" Professor Foster characterized the student tour as something on the order of "a prolonged house party."

Summer Courses

For those students who wish to take summer school courses while abroad, many famous educational institutions are open. In England there are courses scheduled at Oxford, Cambridge and in London. In France there are opportunities for study at the Sorbonne, and at Toulouse, Besancan, Grenoble, Nancy, Dijon and Rennes. In Spain, Madrid is the center for university work. In Germany, Heidleberg, Munich and Berlin. In Switzerland at Geneva, and in Italy at Rome. Some of these courses are three weeks courses so that those who are to be abroad for only a brief time can enroll.

Students here at George Washington who are assisting in making up parties for these tours are Jennings Haskell, Marjorie Davis, Katherine Whitfield, Margaret Sykes and Mildred Percy.

PROF RUNS FOR GOVERNOR

WATERVILLE, Me. (IP).—Taking a strong position with reference to education in high school and college for every boy and girl in Maine, Dr. Herbert C. Libby, professor at Colby College, has announced his entry into the race for Republican nominee as governor.

His platform emphasizes expansion of the University of Maine and other colleges in the state.

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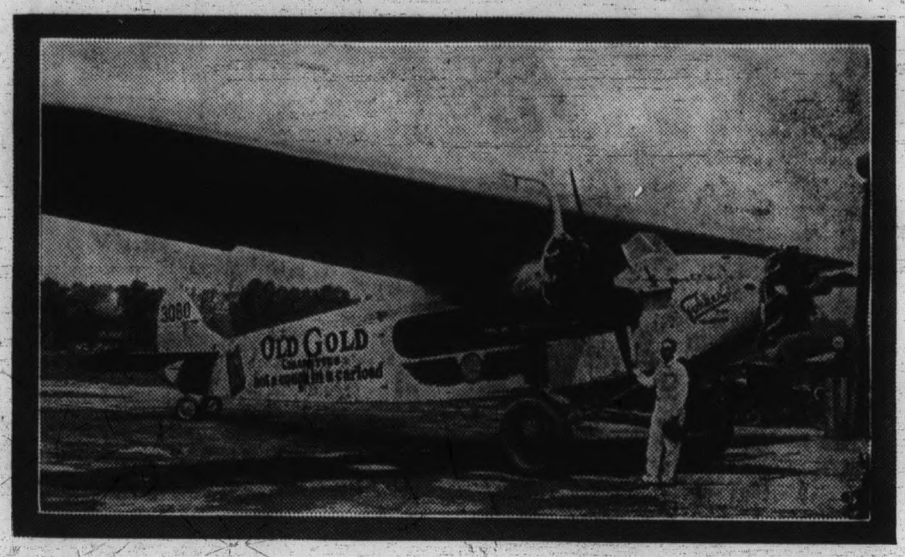
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"OLD GOLD'S VOICE OF THE SKY"



This is the huge tri-motored Fokker monoplane, "Voice of the Sky," which flew over George Washington University during Examination Week broadcasting jazz music and the slogan, "Not a cough in a carload." The plane is on a tour of the entire United States as a part of a national advertisng campaign sponsored by P. Lorillard and Co.

Weird Voices and Snappy Music Come from Sky as Plane Broadcasts

"Voice of Old Gold," With Jazz Numbers and Sousa's March Causes Much Speculation and Neck-Craning Among George Washington Students—Sister Ship of Comdr. Byrd's Fokker

A stentorian voice, followed by one of John Philip Sousa's famed marches and several jazzy songs appeared from nowhere to interrupt the monotony of "exam week" and to mystify those fortunate few about campus who were not in the throes of the semi-annual evils of examinations.

Coming literally "out of a clear sky," this concert, the source of which was unknown at first, created a great surprise and caused much speculation among students. An innocent-looking airplane hovered in the sky—curious glances were directed toward it, but no one thought of it as causing the disturbance.

It was the "Voice of Old Gold," and its arrival was both weird and intensely dramatic. First, music—it could almost be called "heavenly"—was heard in the streets, a waltz melody and then a lively march that sent business men and housewives scurrying to doors and windows, and then while the city wondered where in the world the tunes came from the suggestion "Smoke Old Golds—not a cough in a carload," floated out of the clouds to bound onto pavements and sidewalks and penetrate buildings and homes.

Is Tri-motored Fokker

The "Voice of Old Gold" is a huge tri-motored Fokker airplane, a sister ship to the historic plane that carried Commander Richard E. Byrd to the North Pole, and is equipped with powerful amplifiers capable of sending music and the human voice from a height of 3,000 feet to the city or town which it is cruising.

This aeronautical operation is sponsored by the P. Lorillard Tobacco Company and is being used to emphasize the merits of "Old Gold" Cigarettes. The plane weighs approximately six tons when fully loaded, derives its power from three Wright "Whilrwind" motors, and carries a working crew of six men during its operations. The "Voice of Old Gold" is handled by two pilots, the chief of which is J. H. Lewis Gower, an overseas war veteran whose air log shows upwards of 300,000 miles in the air without serious mishap to either planes or passengers. There are two announcers—Fred W. Bell and Herbert G. McGrath, who are known in New York radio stations as announcers and entertainers of the first order.

The "Voice of Old Gold" is now embarked on a nation-wide cruise that started in the fall when the entire New England States were covered. It is now winging its way over the South, and before spring arrives, it will have broadcast the Old Gold Cigarette message from Philadelphia to Key West. After giving Dixie a new kind of thrill, the plane is scheduled to head westward from New York City and by the end of the coming summer, it will have reached the Pacific Coast.

While the "Voice of Old Gold" is now engaged in popularizing Old Gold Cigarettes,' its potential possibilities are other than that for commercial advertising purposes, and this unusual airship is regarded by aviation authorities as one of the most important developments in the science of modern communication, taking its place with trans-oceanic telephony, radio-photography and other such marvels of this age. It has been received with much interest and enthusiasm by government authorities of this and foreign countries.

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The "Voice of Old Gold" can reach and communicate with people when practically all other means of communication break down or are destroyed. When wires are down, it can carry communication to remote isolated places at remarkable speed. No radio connections are needed for reception. In cases of earthquake, floods, forest fires and general destruction by tornadoes, etc., it sets up a means of communication meeting exigencies immediately.

Its military value is instantly recognized by strategists for observation, troop control, inter-communication in code between headquarters staffs and vessel-to-vessel control and communication during naval operations. Flying above smoke screens, its vantage point in naval battles is unique. The movements of submarines can be watched and reported by this marvelous invention.

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$5,000 PRIZES FOR ORATORICAL CONTEST

Constitution is Main Topic; Under Auspices of Better America Federation

The National Intercollegiate Oratorical Contest on the Constitution, which has been conducted for the past three years by the Better America Federation of California, will be continued this year, according to an announcement today at contest headquarters, 1217 National Press Building, Washington.

The prizes will be the same as in previous years, namely, $5,000 in cash, divided among the seven National finalists in the following amounts: First place, $1500; second, $1000; third, $750; fourth, $550, fifth, $450; sixth, $400; and seventh, $350. The national finals will be held in Los Angeles on June 21.

Any bona fide undergraduate student in any university or college in the United States is eligible. The orations, which must not require more than ten minutes for delivery, must be on one of the following subjects: The Constitution, Washington and the Constitution, Hamilton and the Constitution, Jefferson and the Constitution, Marshall and the Constitution, Franklin and the Constitution, Madison and the Constitution, Webster and the Constitution, and Lincoln and the Constitution.

Finals in May

The nation is divided into seven regions for the purposes of the contest. The colleges in each region compete among themselves, generally by States, to determine the finalists for each region. The regional finalists compete late in May to determine the one speaker from each region who is to have a place in the National finals. A place in the National finals automatically carries with it an award ranging from $350 to $1500, according to the ratings given the different national finalists.

Colleges may be enrolled in the contest by action of either a college official or a student. Entries close March 15. The spokesman for each college must be designated by April 15. Regional semi-finals will be held April 29.

The national finalists of 1927 were: H. J. Oberholzer, N. C. State Agricultural College, winner of first place; Arthur Lee Syvertson, University of Southern California, winner of second place; Hardy M. Ray, Northwestern University, winner of third place; W. C. Cusack, Dartmouth, Clarke Beach, Maryland; David A. Moscovitz, Rutgers, and Max N. Kroloff, Morningside College, Iowa.

The championship of 1926 was won by Charles T. Murphy, of Fordham University, and that of 1925 by E. Wight Bakke, Northwestern University.

PHI BETA WILL MEET

DELAWARE, Ohio (IP).—The sixteenth triennial meeting of Phi Beta Kappa, national honor scholastic fraternity, will be held at Ohio Wesleyan University here on September 11 and 12, 1928, it is announced.

WOMAN LAWYER WINS BIG OFFICE

Amanda Z. Strayer, LL.B., '23, Elected City Solicitor For Steubenville

BATTLE IS HARD-FOUGHT

Slated for Greater Responsibilities in Republican Party Organization of Ohio, is Report

Ohio political circles are commenting upon the sensational rise to political prominence of Miss Amanda Z. Strayer, graduate of George Washington University Law School, class of '23. Miss Strayer was elected in the city election here November 8, to the office of City Solicitor. She entered upon the duties of her new office on January 1.

Miss Strayer won her nomination to the office in one of the hardest fought political battles seen here in recent years. She was opposed by the regular Republican organization "machine," which had sponsored the candidacy of one of her opponents, by an attorney who had the support of the city's leading law firm, and by the present solicitor, who was seeking re-election. She swept into victory, however, by the largest majority polled by any candidate in the primary race, and gained the Republican nomination.

Polls Tremendous Vote

So great was her demonstrated political strength that the Democratic party nominee, a former judge of the probate court, withdrew his candidacy and left her unopposed at the election, in which she polled a tremendous vote, leading her ticket despite the fact there was no opposition to attract voters to her candidacy.

Miss Strayer attended a quiz school in Cincinnati following her graduation from the University, and was admitted to the Ohio bar in December, 1923, returning to Steubenville, her native city, where she took up the practice of her profession. On January 1, 1925, Miss Strayer was appointed Assistant Prosecuting Attorney, resigning from that position to assume her new office January 1.

Persistent reports are current that Miss Strayer is slated to assume greater responsibilities in the Republican party organization of the state when the committee elections are held next summer. Political leaders here are forecasting a rapid advancement politically for the new Solicitor. She has made a record for herself through her prosecutions of prohibition law violators in the county courts during her term as Assistant Prosecutor.

Colorado State Drawn Into Coal Strike Fight

Student Editor of Campus Paper Punished; Sympathy for Strikers Spreading

DENVER, Colo. (by New Student Service).—More and more, almost despite themselves, Colorado's educational institutions are being drawn into active participation in the coal strike controversy.

President George Norlin, of the State University, has tried valiantly to keep his institution out of the fight, but he has met with small success. He has already removed from the staff of the campus paper, The Silver and Gold, Robert Berkov, city editor and columnist, who was about to make some comment on the strike. What Berkov was going to say, only the president knows, because he has the original copy which never was printed.

If President Norlin proposes to remove all commentators, he will be unable to overlook Professor F. D. Bramhill, of the political science department, who told a meeting of a hundred students, professors, and churchmen that Colorado was evidencing "a semi-civilized attitude" toward the strikers, and that "the I. W. W. is the hope of the hopeless." No attempt was made to interfere with this meeting, but students who have attended strikers' meetings have been warned that they are liable to arrest as agitators.

Berkov's punishment, and the unfriendliness of "peace officers" toward students who have been trying to learn something of the issues of the controversy has been doing much to build up a general student sympathy for the strikers, the various Colorado college papers indicate.

FEBRUARY GRADS MADE MEMBERS OF ALUMNI ASSN.

Eighty Graduates Will Be Added To Membership Following Midwinter Convocation

NEW ALUMNI WELCOMED BY DR. FRANK HORNADAY

President of Association Urges Maintenance of Connection With University Through Association

Membership of the General Alumni Association of George Washington will be augmented by some eighty new members following the Midwinter Convocation on February 22.

Every student of the University, according to a ruling of the Board of Trustees, automatically becomes a member of the Association for one year following graduation. Graduates of the Law School hold membership in the Columbian - George Washington Law School Association, while graduates of the School of Medicine who, within the year of graduation, join the George Washington University Medical Society, receive a reduction in fees. Members of these organizations hold reciprocal membership in the General Alumni Association.

Continuing Membership Urged

It is the hope of the Association that these new alumni will maintain a close and lasting connection with the University through continuing membership in the Association after the expiration of their year of automatic membership. Dues are nominal—one dollar a year. Life membership may be had on payment of ten dollars.

Membership in the Association carries with it certain privileges, not the least of which is that of voting each year in the nomination of alumni representatives on the Board of Trustees. Washington alumni meet each month at luncheon, and from time to time throughout the year at social functions of the Association. Each June a reception is given in honor of the June graduates.

Alumni Clubs Formed

In many of the large cities groups of alumni have formed clubs and newcomers from George Washington are made welcome. Graduates who are planning to start their careers in other cities may be put in touch with George Washington Clubs through the Alumni Office of the University.

The official publication of the Association is the *Alumni Hatchet*, issued quarterly, which prints news of interest concerning the alumni and the University. Copies of this issue of the publication are being sent to prospective February graduates in order to acquaint them with the various phases of alumni work.

In welcoming these new members into the Association Dr. Frank A. Hornaday, the President, urges that their membership be lasting, since this enables the graduate not only to keep in intimate touch with the University and its affairs, but to maintain the friendshins which have been formed with fellow students.

PURDUE ARMORY BURNS

LAFAYETTE, Ind. (IP).—To the accompaniment of exploding howitzers, tank trucks and gasoline tanks, $180,000 worth of equipment and building went up in smoke recently when flames practically destroyed the Purdue University Armory here.

It was thought that the blaze, which Purdue students helped to fight, was caused by spontaneous combustion in a pile of refuse in one end of the building.

SOPH DANCE IS FLOP

LAWRENCE, Kans. (IP).—The annual Soph Hop at the University of Kansas proved a "flop" recently when the orchestra which had been hired under contract failed to appear. Nothing has been heard from the orchestra since then.

$300,000 TO DARTMOUTH

HANOVER, N. H. (IP).—Three hundred thousand dollars has been given to Dartmouth College by Mr. Frank P. Carpenter, of Manchester, N. H. for the erection of a new fine arts building on the campus.

ONE YEAR AGO TODAY

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The Red-Headed Club of flaming-topped George Washington University co-ed's plans to affiliate with the Titian Tints of Goucher. Flaming youths!

Colonial quint splits even in week's games; Lemon's boys are held back by the Davis-Elkins College five, but put it over the Washington Square College of New York University fellows.

George Washington University debators dispel their defeat-making jinxes by downing forensic artists from Randolph-Macon and Wesleyan.

"Razz Berry," G. W. U's miniature Hearst scandal sheet, will appear with the holding of the Interfraternity Tea Dance.

Co-eds' first basketball game ends victoriously. Gallaudet is downed by G. W. girls, 34-17.

Yearling basketers beat Alexandria High, 30-14, but lose a ragged game to the Woodward Club of the Y. M. C. A. Several players show up as stars in the contests.

Catholic University to be the next George Washington basketball opponent, and Coach Lemon promises a fighting team. Catholic U. has been defeated but once.

Crossing accident proves fatal to Paul Twombley, a George Washington student, and three of his relatives as fast B. & O. train passes through Kensington. The car which Twombley was driving, demolished. The University Hatchet extends its regrets.

Professor Bemis finishes editing a history of American Secretaries and their Diplomacies, a book now at press in New York City. Professor Hill contributed to the series.

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